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GUEST SPEAKER

DR. WILLIAM HOLMES BORDERS

Pastor, Wheat Street Baptist Church
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Topic . . . "Let Freedom Ring"

The citizens of Windsor feel honored having Dr. William Holmes Borders for their 112th Emancipation Celebration, a man with such high qualified background.

Dr. Borders is a product of Morehouse College, Garrett Theological Seminary and North Western University, where he received his A.B., B.D. and M.A. degrees respectively.

For seven years has pastored Second Baptist Church, Evanston, Illinois, which pastorate he resigned to accept the position as instructor in Philosophy and Religion at Morehouse College. Shortly after coming to Atlanta he was called to minister the Wheat Street Baptist Church, the souths largest Negro Church.

Dr. Borders is author of three books: "Follow Me", a book of sermons; "Thunderbolts", a book of Religious Poems, and "Seven Minutes at the Mike in the Deep South", which is composed of some of the radio addresses he has given on the weekly broadcast which originates in the Church auditorium.

Dr. Borders is married and has two children.

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112th Emancipation Celebration

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REV. ROBERT L. BRADBY, JR., Presiding

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PROGRAM

"PAGEANT OF FLAGS"
Stanley Robinson, Director and Narrator

"BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC"
Jubal Choral Society, Talmadge L. Turner, Director
Clarence and Harold McKinney, Accompanist

NATIONAL ANTHEMS:
"God Save Our King"
"The Star Spangled Banner".....Key
Combined Choirs, Talmadge L. Turner, Directing, and Chas. Young Post No. 77 Band, John Lain Conductor

INVOCATION
Mr. Arthur MacDowell, Deacon of First Baptist Church, Windsor, Ont.

"LISTEN TO THE LAMBS".....Dett
Jubal Choral Society and Combined Choirs of Windsor, Ont.
Edna Freeman, Soloist, Talmadge L. Turner, Director
Mary Booker, Accompanist

Memorial Services for the Late Dr. C. L. Wells, former Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Windsor, Ont.

EULOGY—
Rev. Robt. L. Bradby, Jr., Pastor of Greater King Solomon Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.

"LEAD KINDLY LIGHT".....Dykes
Combined Choirs of Windsor and Detroit, Talmadge L. Turner, Directing.

"THE LORD'S PRAYER".....Mallotte
S. Luberta Woodfork Chisholm, Soprano
Grace Wailes, Accompanist

INTRODUCTION OF MAYOR ARTHUR REAUME
By the Rev. I. H. Edwards, Pastor Sandwich Baptist Church

GREETINGS: The Mayor of Windsor, Ont.

RESPONSE:

Atty. Herbert L. Dudley, Connectional President A.M.E. Laymen's Organization.

Greetings from the National Negro Business League:

Mr. L. C. Blount, Executive Secretary Great Lakes Mutual Insurance Co., Detroit, Mich.

GREETINGS:

Bishop George W. Baber, Bishop to South Africa.
Dr. A. A. Banks, Sr., Biose, Idaho.

"OUT IN THE FIELD".....Dawson

Jubal Choral Society, Talmadge L. Turner, Director
Mary Booker, Accompanist

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST:

"Comfort Ye"—(From the Messiah).....Handel

"Every Valley Shall Be Exalted"

Benjamin J. Wailes, Tenor — Grace Wailes, Accompanist

DR. WILLIAM HOLMES BORDERS, Pastor Wheat Street Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia.

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER:

Rev. A. A. Banks, Jr., Associate Pastor of Second Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.

"SALVATION IS CREATED".....Tchesnokoff

Jubal Choral Society, Talmadge L. Turner, Director
Mary Booker, Accompanist

REMARKS:

"Lift Every Voice and Sing".....Johnson

Combined Choirs and Audience

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Combined Choirs of Windsor, Ont., participating.
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Statement by Mayor Arthur J. Reaume for Walter Perry

July 21, 1944

"At a time when the nations of the world are engaged in one of the bloodiest wars of all time to free the victims of Nazi tyranny, it is fitting that we should gather together on this occasion to mark the 112th Anniversary of the emancipation of the colored people of Canada.

"I believe, in these times of stress, that we should give pause to consider the progress of other days. It seems, as we contemplate the future, we can gain courage from the events of the past. We know that regardless of the odds, that right will prevail. Just as long as we have faith in our cause, just so long can we face the future with determination and confidence.

"Here in Windsor, we strive to live tolerantly one with the other in a firm desire to make Windsor a great city. It is true that we have disagreements, but what large family is without its disagreements? Nevertheless, we in Windsor are proud of our city. We feel that we have one of the finest communities in this great Canada of ours. We know that our citizens are among the most hospitable in the world.

"We welcome you who come as visitors from other cities and other nations to Windsor and to Canada. As mayor, on behalf of our citizens, I assure you that we are pleased that you have paid us this visit. We hope you have a most enjoyable time. We hope you will return again.

ARTHUR J. REAUME,
Mayor, City of Windsor.

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